THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

MONDAY, March 26th, 1744. [Numb. 522]

LONDON, *December* 20.

THE Marquis de Fenelon, tho' he deliver'd a very dry Memorial to the States General, yet explained himſelf more fully in ſome Converſations before his Departure from the Hague, and particularly the very Evening before he ſet out; when a foreign Miniſter having repreſented to him, *That it would be the moſt likely Expedient for procuring Peace, if France would of her own Accord propoſe a moderate Plan*; adding, *That he hoped ſomething of that Kind occupied the Thoughts of the French Miniſtry*: The Marquis de Fenelon anſwer'd, in a very quick Tone, *I believe quite the contrary; I think all Schemes of Peace have been for ſome Time laid aſide, and that the Miniſtry's Thoughts are wholly bent towards the Continuance of a War* ——— *ſo neceſſary for the Support of the King's Glory.*

This Morning came Advice that the Europa, Capt. Benjamin Hunter, from Mahone, arrived ſafe in the Downs on Sunday Evening laſt; he gives the following Account: That on the 29th of November laſt, about 20 Leagues to the Weſtward of Cape Spartell, a very large Spaniſh Privateer of 22 Guns and very full of Men, bore down upon him and boarded him on his Larboard Quarter, and enter'd his Men, but Capt. Hunter gave them ſo hearty a Reception, that he killed and cauſed to jump over board about 40 of the Spaniards; the Privateer was boarding him two Hours. Capt. Hunter was ſo fortunate as to fire away the Privateer's Main maſt, and part of her Quarter; at length ſhe was glad to ſheer off, and with ſo much Precipatation, that they left two of their Men on board Captain Hunter, whom he brought with him to England.

The Adventure, Swetnam, from Carolina, for London, is aſhore in Margate Road.

December 22. Private Letters from Leghorn, dated Dec 7, N. S. ſay, that on the 4th Inſtant the Engliſh Conſul receiv'd Diſpatches of the laſt Importance from Admiral Mathews; and that, after delivering ſuch Packets as were addreſs'd to the Regency, he inſtantly diſpatched two Expreſſes, one to London with his Excellency's Letters to his own Court, and another to Romagna with the Letters addreſs'd to Prince Lobkowitz.

His moſt Chriſtian Majeſty has declared the Count de Segur, who is a Lieutenant General of his Armies, Commander in Chief of the Troops that are to be embark'd for Italy in order to preſerve the Kingdom of Naples, and to bring off the Spaniſh Army in the Eccleſiaſtical State; upon the Succeſs of which Expedition, Cardinal Tencin ſaid publickly, the Fate of the Houſe of Bourbon abſolutely depends, and therefore nothing will be ſpared that can contribute to render it ſecure.

The regular Troops that are to embark, make together 17,000 Men. The large Ships lately taken from the Eaſt India Company, are to be made Uſe of as Tranſports. The Breſt Squadron which is actually gone to Toulon, conſiſts of 18 Sail, and they are certainly preſſing at Marſeilles all the Seamen that can be met with to mann the Toulon Fleet, which conſiſts of 20 French and 9 Spaniſh Men of War of the Line.

Letters from Bern by the Way of Holland, of the 4th Inſtant, bring Advice, that it had been debated in the ſupreme Council of that Canton ſome Days before whether they ſhould permit the levying of Four new Companies to the Swiſs Regiment in the French Service, purſuant to the French King's Ordonnance of Sept. 22d; and that after much Warmth it was carried in the Negative by a Majority of 92 againſt 17; many of the Members having look'd upon the ſaid Ordonnance as an Encroachment upon the Sovereignty and Independancy of the Helvetick Body.

An Order is ſent from the Board of Ordnance to Woolwich, for the immediate caſting of 30 Pieces of Cannon, to carry 24 Pounders; 20 to carry 18; and 10 to carry 12, for the Service of his Majeſty's Army in the next Campaign.

His Majeſty has been graciouſly pleaſed to create the following Perſons Peers of Great Britain; viz.

Henry Arthur Herbert, Eſq;

General Wade, lately appointed Field Marſhal of his Majeſty's Forces.

Lord Chief Juſtice Lee.

Lord Chief Juſtice Willes.

The Honourable George Edgcumbe, Eſq; Firſt Lieutenant of his Majeſty's Ship the Naſſau, under the Command of Admiral Mathews, is appointed by the Admiral Captain of the Terrible a Bomb-Ketch.

The Nazareth, Capt. Bennet, bound for Carolina from Poole, was taken in her Paſſage, by the Spaniards.

Admiralty Office, December 20. His Majeſty's Ship the Prince Frederick, commanded by Capt. Barnett, being on a Cruize, took a Spaniſh Ship on the 24th of laſt Month, called the N. S. del Roſaria, of 250 Tons, with 43 Men, bound from Cadiz to Carthagena, with Wine, Oyl, Flour and Iron.

AMERICA.

BOSTON, January 23.

On Saturday laſt was tranſported from the Long Wharff to Caſtle *William*, and there landed, the laſt Sloop Load of the 42 Pounders and the Mortars lately arrived here in Capt. *Ellis*, for the Uſe of that Fortification, being part of his Majeſty's late Royal Bounty to this Province: Upon which his Excellency our Governor ordered a Royal Salute from the Garriſon and the ſame Day viewed them and the new Stores there, and after dining with the Lieutenant Governor and the other Officers of the Fort, His Majeſty's Health and that of the Prince of *Wales* and the Royal Family were drank, with two Diſcharges of the Artillery from the upper Battery. And his Excellency upon this Occaſion, ordered the Soldiers of the Garriſon ſome Liquor to drink the ſame Royal Healths.

By this Addition to the great Artillery, and the Repairs made the Two laſt Years, particularly the new additional Works begun the laſt Summer, for ſtrengthening and ſecuring the Walls of the Royal Battery, which we are in Hopes will be compleated, together with a Platform for mounting the Twenty new Cannon by next Summer, this Fort will then from its late ruinous and weak Condition, be in a good Poſture of Defence.

Extract of a Letter from Capt. John Dogget *of this Town, dated at* Antigua, Dec. 25, 1743.

——— The 25th of November, in ſight of Antigua, we had the Misfortune to be taken by a *Spaniſh* Privateer Sloop with 75 Men, belonging to St. *Domingo*. There was one of our Men of War in ſight when I was taken, but by her Miſmanagement ſhe neither took the Privateer nor re took my Brigt. Three Days after they took me, they marooned me with 4 others, and uſed us very ill. We were taken off the Iſland by a Veſſel bound to *St. Thomas's*, and two Days after we met with the *Lively* Man of War of 20 Guns, and inform'd the Captain where the Privateer lay, for we hear'd them talk of going to that Place. The Captain of the Man of War ſaid if I was willing to go with him, he would go and deſtroy him. We bore after him, and met with an *Engliſh* Privateer who went with us. We ſoon found the *Spaniard*, at 3 o'Clock in the Morning, who weighed his Anchor and ran into ſhoal Water, where neither our Men of War nor Privateer could go. At 8 o'Clock in the Morning, the 1ſt of December, we began to fire; the Man of War fired 350 Shot, and our Privateer 170 before the *Spaniard* wou'd quit his Veſſel. We killed

led him 3 Men, and wounded 3 more. The *Spaniard* fir'd at the *English* Privateer, and did him ſome Damage, but neither kill'd nor wounded any of his Men. At 3 in the Afternoon we concluded to mann all the Boats from the Man of War and Privateer at all Events; but they ſeeing us come with Reſolution, they cowardly Dogs left their Sloop, (after running her aſhore) and hid themſelves in the Buſhes. We deſtroyed the Sloop, and then made the beſt of our Way for this Iſland.

CHARLES TOWN, March 26.

On Tueſday laſt arrived here Captain *Summerſett*, from *Antigua*, by whom we learn, that Capt. *Tyrrel*, (who commanded our Country Schooner during the late Siege of *St. Auguſtine*) now has the Command of his Majeſty's Ship the *Launceſton*, and Capt. *Gayton*, late Lieutenant to Commodore *Warren*, that of the *Comet* Bomb ——— A few Days before Captain *Summerſett* left *Antigua*, thoſe two Gentlemen arrived there from a Cruize, but the former had taken a Ship from St. *Auguſtine* with 16000 Pieces of Eight, and a Privateer from the ſame Place, which he brought in with him.

CUSTOM HOUSE, CHARLES TOWN,

Entered Inwards.

Ship Dorothy, Nicholls, from Jamaica.
Ship Carolina Packet, Tho. Summerſett, from Antigua.
Ship Rachel, Perkins, from Gibraltar.
Ship Sarah, Powers, from Lizbon.
Ship Panther, Hodges, and
Brigt. Shirley, Chaſe, from Boſton.
Brig. Carolina, Maitland, from Belfaſt.
Sloop Francis, Gibbs, from Bermuda.

Entered Outwards.

None.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Dettingen, Wright, to London.
Ship Boſton, Davis, to Cowes.
Snow Loyalty, Fowler, to Oporto.
Snow Union, Caſtell, to Cowes.
Brigt. Induſtry, Pearce, to New-York.
Billander Francis, Vernon, to Portſmouth.
Sloop Endeavour, Young, to Bermuda.
Sloop Endeavour, Cooper to Philadelphia.
Sloop Royal Ranger, Leacroft, to Antigua.

Exported from this Place from Nov. 1, 1743.

Rice, 50,878 Barrels.
Pitch, 2701 Barrels.
Tarr, 456 Barrels.
Turpentine, 133 Barrels
Deer Skins, 161 Hogſheads.
Indian Corn, 17125 Buſhels.
——— Peaſe, 1233 Buſhels.
Pork, 718 Barrels.
Beef, 323 Barrels.

The PRICES of the following Goods, of the Produce of the Provinces;

New Rice *per Cent.* 30 *ſh.* 0.
Pitch *per Barrel*, 32 *ſ.* 6
Tar, 30 *ſ.* 0 *d.*
Turpentine, 10 *ſh.* 0.
Turpentine Oyl, 15 *l.* 0
Roſin, 15 *l.* 0
Skins *per lb.* 16 *ſh.* 6
Staves, 15 *l. per* 1000.
Corn *per Buſhel*, 7 *ſh.* 6
Peaſe, 7 *ſ.* 6 *d.*

Of the Produce of Foreign Parts.

Philadelphia Flour, 3 *l.* 0.
Brown Bread 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Ship ———, 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Middling ———, 5 *l.* 0 *s.*
White ———, *per Quarter Cask*, 45 *ſh.*
Milk ———, per Quarter Cask 55 *ſh.*
N. England Rum, *per Hhd.* 25 *ſ.* a *Gallon.*
Barbadoes Rum *per Hhd.* 20 *ſ.*
Mountſerrat —, 17 *ſ.* 6
Antigua —, 17 *ſ.* 6
Meaſſes, 10 *ſh.* 0
Madeira Wine, *per Pipe*, 130 *l.*
New York Beer, 8 *l.* per Barrel.
Fine Salt *per Buſhel* 7 *s.* 6 *d.*
Coarſe Salt, 10 *ſh.*

Advertiſements.

THIS is to give Notice, that on Thurſday the 12th Inſtant, there will be a BALL, at the Theatre in *Queen-ſtreet*. *Henry Campbell*, Maſter.

At a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at *Charles Town* on the 21ſt Day of *March* 1743 4.

THE Jurors whoſe Names are hereunder mentioned, having been duely ſummoned and returned to ſerve as Jurors at the ſaid Court, made Default, (*to wit*,) *John Harleſton*, Grand Juror, fineable at *Ten Pounds*, Proclamation Money. *Nicholas Matheſon*, *Richard Howard*, and *Joſhua Sweeden*, Petit Jurors, fineable at *Five Pounds*, Proclamation Money, each, unleſs they and each of them can ſhew good and ſufficient Excuſe, upon Oath, why the ſaid Fines ſhould not be reſpectively levied at the ſaid Court, on the Monday next before the Court of Common Pleas to be holden on the 2d Tueſday in *May* next, purſuant to the Direction of the Act of the General Aſſembly in that Caſe made and provided.

JAMES WEDDERBURN.
Clerk of the Crown and Peace.

To be ſold by the Subſcriber, a Plantation containing 580 Acres, about a Mile from a Landing, (with good Buildings thereon,) being choice Rice and Corn Land, well damm'd in, and 30 or 40,000 Turpentine Trees half prepared for green Tar. Whoever has amind to purchaſe the ſame may treat with *William Brown* at *Winyaw*, who will give 2 Years Credit for one half, paying Intereſt, and one Year Credit for the other half, provided, that half be paid by the Expiration of the Year.

N. B. Some Cattle, Horſes and Hoggs alſo to be ſold.

TO BE SOLD, for Credit, to the firſt of *January* next, an half Acre Lot of Land in the Town of *New Cheſter*, ſituate on the South Branch of *Stono River*, at the Bridge going over to *John's-Iſland*, with a good Dwelling-houſe thereon 30 Feet by 18, compleatly fitted for a Store, a good Garden pailed in, and convenient Out-houſes, all new; alſo a well-fitted Pettiaugua, Burthen about 4 Tons, 28 Feet long and 6 wide. Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may treat with *Joſeph Wilkinſon* at *Stono Bridge*, or *Henry Yonge* at *Morton Town*.

TO BE SOLD, a Plantation called *Weſton Hall*, commonly known by the Name of the Name of the *Ponds*, containing 2400 Acres of choice good Land either for Rice or Corn, convenient for damming, and very pleaſantly ſituated, with a Dwelling houſe, Brick Barn, and Out-Houſes, a good Orchard and Garden, and great Plenty of Fiſh and wild Fowls, alſo on it a great Quantity of valuable Timber which lies convenient for ſawing. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the whole or any part, may treat with *Frances Downing* on the ſaid Plantation, where ſhe hath alſo to ſell a large Stock of Horſes and a parcel of wet and dry Cattle.

TO be ſold, at publick Vendue on Wedneſday the 11th of *April*, at the Plantation of *John Snow* in St *Thomas* Pariſh, a choice parcel of Slaves, moſt of them this Country born, alſo a Stock of Cattle, and Plantation Tools. The Purchaſers to have 12 Months Credit for all Sums above 20 *l.* paying Intereſt and giving Security, but all under to be ready Money. The Sale to begin preciſely at 10 o'Clock.

JOHN SNOW.
STEPHEN MILLER.

STOLEN or ſtray'd from off *Charleſtown* Green, about the 6th Inſtant, a dapple grey Horſe, about 6 Years old, between 10 and 12 Hands high, with a long double Maine and long Tail, branded on the mounting Shoulder S R, the R not plain, and paces a little. Whoever bring the ſaid Horſe to me in *Charleſtown* ſhall be well rewarded. *George Ducat.*

STRAY'D out of my Paſture on *Aſhley River*, the 14th of December laſt, a ſmall bright Bay Gelding, paces about 10 Miles an Hour, and is branded on the Buttock OC. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to me ſhall have 5 *l.* reward.

Richard Butler.

STRAY'D into the Plantation of Mr *Richard Singleton* at *Gooſe Creek*, a Bay Horſe, about 13 Hands high, branded on the mounting Side with an I and a Heart. Whoever owns the ſaid Horſe, may have him on applying to

Peter Taylor, J.P.

TO BE LETT the 15th Day of *May* next, the Plantation upon the Neck, whereon Mr *George Marſhal* now lives, about a Mile and half from Town. Enquire of Mrs *Mary Watſon* in *Charles-Town*, or of Mr. *Marſhal* on the ſaid Plantation.

TO BE SOLD forthwith, the following Tracts of Land, belonging to the Eſtate of Robert Hume, *deceas'd*, viz. *that Tract whereon the ſaid* Robert Hume *did live, containing* 184 *Acres of high Land and* 100 *Acres of Marſh Lands; as alſo that Tract of Land lying on the South ſide of the Road, adjoining to Mr.* Hunt's *Plantation, containing* 84 *Acres; and that Tract in Gooſe Creek Parish late in the Poſſeſſion of* Roger Moor; *as alſo all other the Lands belonging to the Eſtate of the ſaid* Robert Hume *in this Province, and the Town Lots in* Charleſtown. *Whoever inclines to purchaſe, may treat with Meſſrs.* Abercromby, Hill, *and* Gascoigne, *who are properly impowered to ſell and make Titles for the ſame.*

ALL Persons that are any ways indebted *CROKATT* and *MICHIE*, are desired to observe, that their Co-partnership expires the 1st of *May* next, and they once more give this publick Notice, that they will take Rice in Payment, at the Market Price, on Delivery until that Time, and nothing afterwards but Money, being determined to ship none after that Season. THEREFORE those neglecting to pay or settle before that Time, to our Satisfaction, may be assured, their Accompts, &c. will be put into an Attorney's Hands, without Distinction, there being a Necessity to settle their Accompts this Summer,

CROKATT & MICHIE

N.B. *They have sundry Goods on Hand, which they will sell very cheap, either for Payment now or next Crop.*

HEN: RIGBY,

House Carpenter and Joiner, his Wife & a Daughter, are brought over into this Province, in the Snow *Loyalty*, *John Fowler*, Master, from *Liverpoole*: They say they have a Relation in the said Province named *Thomas Rotball*. This is therefore to give Notice to the said *Rotball* (if he is in this Province,) that unless their Passages from *Liverpoole* is immediately paid, the said *Rigby* will be sold as a Servant for the same, by

John Fowler.

TO be sold by the Subscribers (*Executors to the Estate of the late* Anthony Bonneau, *Esq;*) *part of a Town Lot, containing 63 Feet in Front, and 130 odd in Depth, (adjoining to Mr* Laurans's) *whereon* Richard Lamperd *now lives. Whoever has a mind to purchase the said Lot, may treat with either of the Subscribers, or with Deft.* Jacob Martin *in* Charlestown.

We also give Notice, to all Persons who have any Demands on the said Estate, to bring in their Accompts duely attested. And those who are any Ways indebted to the said Estate, are desired to pay off or settle the same by the the 26th Instant, without any further Notice.

Anthony Bonneau.
Henry Bonneau.
Peter Bonneau.

The Sale of the Slaves of Col. Herbert's Estate, is put off to the 27th Inst.

TO BE SOLD on a long Lease, and very easy Ground Rent, part of a Town Lot in *King street*, opposite to the Printer's, with a new House and two small Tenements thereon, 70 Feet from the Front of the said Lot, and back of them a large Work shop for a Carpenter, a Stable and good Hay Loft, besides several other Conveniences, entirely suitable for a Carpenter or private Family. The Front not built upon. Enquire of *John Faun* on the Premises.

TO BE SOLD, at Vendue, by *William Wood*, at his Plantation on the East side of *Goose Creek*, on Tuesday the 20th Instant, a choice parcel of Negro Slaves, viz. Men, Women and Boys; which belonged lately to the Estate of Col. *John Herbert*, deceas'd. The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon; and the Buyers, or such of them as shall desire it, to have a Twelve Month's Credit, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving satisfactory Security.

THIS is to give Notice, That a School Master, to teach Reading, Writing and Arithmetick, is wanted to teach the Free School in *St Thomas's* Parish. Any Person properly qualified, applying to the Rector and Vestry, may meet with Encouragement.

JUST imported, from *London* and *Bristol*, and to be sold by *Simmons*, *Smith*, and Comp. mahogony Chests of Drawers, Desks, Tables, fine Chairs and Couches, great variety of *East India* and *European* Goods, proper for the Season, also bottled Beer and Quart Bottles, and we again give Notice, that we will take good RICE in Payment at the Market Price to the 1st Day of *May* next.

All Persons that have any Demands on *Samuel Prioleau*, jun are desired to bring in the Amount of the same to us, that a Dividend may be made of what has been received by us.

WHEREAS *Richard Butler* of *St Andrew's* Parish in *Berkley* County, Planter, hath this Day informed me, that a white Horse about 14 Hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder with a C a cross a T, and can't pace, came into his inclosed Ground on the 9th of this Instant. These are therefore (in pursuance of an Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided) to give Notice, that whoever owns the said Horse, upon applying to me, proving his Property to the same, and paying the lawful and reasonable Charges may have him again.

March 13, 1743-4. *Henry Gibbes*, J. P.

TO BE SOLD, by the Subscriber, together or in Parcels, a Lot of Land in *Charlestown*, fronting on *Church street* 120 Feet, and on *Queen street* 300. Any Person inclinable to purchase the same, may treat with the Subscriber, who has good Porter pale Beer, and *Gloucester* Cheese, &c. to dispose of.

William Roper

TO BE SOLD A Tract of Land, containing 900 Acres, very commodiously situated in *Berkley* County, and joining on one Side to the Lands on which Mr *Rene Ravenell* now lives. Also 7 Town Lots in *Willtown*, and one other Lot in *Childsbury*. The Particulars may be enquired of Capt *Robert Austin*, or Mr *William Roper* in *Charles Town*.

TO be sold by the Subscriber, in *Unity Alley*, *Charles Town*, choice *West-India* Rum, Muscovado Sugar, and Chocolate, with sundry other Goods, very reasonable.

William Savage.

Alexander McCants at *Spring-Grove* Plantation, in the Parish of *St James, Goose Creek*, has brought to me to be toll'd, a little white Horse which strayed into the said Plantation, he is under 13 Hands high, about 7 Years old, paces, and is branded on the mounting Shoulder S, and something else not plain. Whoever owns the said Horse may have him by applying to

Peter Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, to *all Gentlemen that have RICE in Depot, that they may have two Parts in ready Cash, & the Balance in Cordials of all Sorts, or any other Goods that I have to sell. Any Person having Occasion for Cordials or sweet Meats, may in the mean Time buy them reasonably of*

Isaac De [illegible]

Just imported in the Ship Two Sisters, Capt. Steadman *from* Holland. *and in other Vessels lately from* London *and* Bristol, *a choice assortment of Linnens and Hollands of all kinds, Tea Tables, and corner Card boards, white Wine Vinegar, and Rhenish Wine, with variety of other Goods, to be sold very reasonable, by*

Stiell *and* Hume.

TO BE SOLD by the Subscriber, a Plantation very pleasantly situated on the lower End of *John's Island* containing 300 Acres, whereof 30 are very good for Rice, but not clear'd, there are also about 60 Acres of good Pasturage, and the Rest is exceeding good Corn Land, well wooded with Hickery and Oak. There are on the said Plantation several compleat Buildings, viz. a large brick Dwelling house, 30 Feet by 25, containing several fine Rooms, a Hall, and Parlour, and other Conveniencies, all finish'd, another House, 30 Feet by 24, plaister'd throughout, a Poultry House 20 Feet by 15 also, a good Kitchen and Wash house, 28 Feet by 14, a Brick Smoke house 12 Feet square, all new; also a good Corn house, Barn, and Out houses; Besides all which there is a pleasant and profitable Garden, and a young Orchard, also a very convenient Landing within a stone's Cast from the House, and what renders the Place more agreeable, it abounds with good Fishing, Fowling, and Hunting. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, may treat with (and be further inform'd by) the Subscriber, on the said Plantation

Samuel Isaac.

ON Monday the 2d of *April*, at the House of Mr *Samuel Davidson* in *Jacksonburgh*, will be sold at publick Vendue, by the Subscriber, about 30 Plantation and other Slaves, most of which are this Country born. Credit will be given 12 Months, paying Interest from the Day of Sale and giving Security if required.

Jordan Roche.

N.B. The Sale is to begin at 9 o'Clock in the Forenoon.

TO BE LET the 1st of *May* next, a large piece of extraordinary [illegible] Pure Ground, under good Fence, about a Quarter of a Mile from *Charles Town* now in the Occupation of Mr. *Samuel Wise*. Whoever is inclinable to hire the same, may treat with *Joseph Wragg* of *Charles-Town*, Merchant.